



General Assembly

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Amendment

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Offered by:

REP. CAFERO, 142nd Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 387

File No. 49

Cal. No. 645

(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

"AN ACT INCREASING THE MINIMUM FAIR WAGE."

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu
2 thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subsection (j) of section 31-58 of the general statutes is
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
5 *1, 2013*):

6 (j) "Minimum fair wage" in any industry or occupation in this state
7 means a wage of not less than six dollars and seventy cents per hour,
8 and effective January 1, 2003, not less than six dollars and ninety cents
9 per hour, and effective January 1, 2004, not less than seven dollars and
10 ten cents per hour, and effective January 1, 2006, not less than seven
11 dollars and forty cents per hour, and effective January 1, 2007, not less
12 than seven dollars and sixty-five cents per hour, and effective January
13 1, 2009, not less than eight dollars per hour, and effective January 1,
14 2010, not less than eight dollars and twenty-five cents per hour, and

15 effective January 1, 2014, not less than eight dollars and seventy cents
16 per hour, and effective January 1, 2015, not less than nine dollars per
17 hour or one-half of one per cent rounded to the nearest whole cent
18 more than the highest federal minimum wage, whichever is greater,
19 except as may otherwise be established in accordance with the
20 provisions of this part. All wage orders in effect on October 1, 1971,
21 wherein a lower minimum fair wage has been established, are
22 amended to provide for the payment of the minimum fair wage herein
23 established except as hereinafter provided. Whenever the highest
24 federal minimum wage is increased, the minimum fair wage
25 established under this part shall be increased to the amount of said
26 federal minimum wage plus one-half of one per cent more than said
27 federal rate, rounded to the nearest whole cent, effective on the same
28 date as the increase in the highest federal minimum wage, and shall
29 apply to all wage orders and administrative regulations then in force.
30 The rates for learners, beginners, and persons under the age of
31 eighteen years shall be not less than eighty-five per cent of the
32 minimum fair wage for the first two hundred hours [of] with each such
33 employment and equal to the minimum fair wage thereafter, except
34 institutional training programs specifically exempted by the
35 commissioner."